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AMENDMENT

Sir:

This amendment is in response to the Office Action Mailed May 16, 2006. Amendment of this Application is requested as follows:

CERTIFICATION 37 C.F.R. 1.8a and 1.10 (Express Mail Label number is mandatory) (Express Mail certification is optional).

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